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Village of Bow Island

Notice of Nomination for Councillors
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a meeting of the electors of the Village of Bow Island will be held in the I.O.O.F. hall, on Monday, JANUARY 8th, 1912, at 8 p.m. for the purpose of Nominating Three Candidates for the office of Councillors for the said Village for the next ensuing year.

Dated under my hand this 29th day of November, 1911.
B. L. JAMIESON, Sec.-Treasurer.

Bow Island, Alta

Bow Island Board of Trade

Notice to Members
Members of the Bow Island Board of Trade are hereby notified the By-Laws demand that all dues in arrears must be paid previous to voting at the annual meeting.

A. F. DULMAGE, President.

Village Council of Bow Island.

Notice to Ratepayers
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Village Council of Bow Island, that the Ordinance demands that all Taxpayers previous to voting in an election must have their taxes paid in full to date.

B. L. JAMIESON, Secretary-Treasurer.
Bow Island, Alta., December 26, 1911.

Notice to Ratepayers

The annual Meeting of the Bow Island School District will be held at the Bow Island school house at one o'clock, Saturday, January 13th, 1912, to listen to Annual Report and the Election of new Trustees.

A. F. WERTS, Secretary.

Nomination Day

And What It Means to Bow Island.

To take part in a municipal contest is one of the privileges of Canadian citizenship, and it is a privilege that is often abused (we can think of no more suitable word) by the careless abstention of the electors from the polling booth. Often it happens, unless some all-absorbing topic agitates the community, a full fifty per cent. of the ratepayers pass the municipal elections with an indifference that would be suicidal if the same policy were adopted in their business affairs. Yet one is essentially interwoven with the other. Indifference in municipal matters upon the part of the ratepayers too often means a corresponding indifference upon the part of the councillors, and the inevitable result is a bungling of the town's business.

Bow Island is a young, a very young, town, and it is very necessary that the ratepayers should this year, more than any other, bestow the deepest interest upon the subject of our future Council. This year we are laying the foundation stone of what we all believe to be a more substantial structure, one that given careful attention and hearty support should be a credit not only to those who help to build it, but one that the whole of Southern Alberta will point to with pride. Imagination? No, just an optimistic forecast of what our citizens could do if once they were fully aroused to the importance of their taking a hand in this ensuing election.

Nomination day is next Monday, and a meeting will be held in the I.O.O.F. hall for the purpose of revising names for the next Village Council. If there is one thing more than another that we would especially impress upon the ratepayers who intend to be present that evening, it is this: Elect the men whom you feel confident will transact the town's business to the best advantage—irrespective of the fact whether he is a friend or not. An unbusinesslike council brings discredit not only upon the men that comprise it but it reacts unfavorably upon the electors who put them there.

Some very important questions will arise shortly, and to deal with these it is not necessary that the members of the Council should be exactly boosters, but it is absolutely necessary that they should be men of experience who will be able to deal with them with a full sense of the heavy responsibility that the question brings.

Finally, we recommend every ratepayer that can possibly do so to attend and discuss the issue in a spirit of broad-mindedness and with the idea of doing his best, by co-operating with his fellow-citizen, in helping along the work of progress.

I.O.O.F. Installation

The installation of officers elected for the next six months in connection with the I.O.O.F. took place on Wednesday night, the installing officer being Bro. R. A. Parker, D.D.G.M., Winifred. The officers are as follows: P.G., S. G. Jamieson, N.G., W. P. Colson; V.G., A. F. Dulmage; R.S., J. Reid; F.S., H. Reid; Treasurer and Chaplain, H. M. Henderson; Warden, G. R. Howden; Conductor, R. S. Beattie; R.S.N.G., H. E. Beattie; L.S.N.G., H. Carlson; R.S.V.G., C. Barkman; L.S.V.G., J. W. Hopkins; R.S.C., Nelson; L.S.C., J. Dulmage; O.G., G. Anderson; L.G., A. Elsworth.

LOCAL MARKET

Bow Island, Jan. 5.
WHEAT—
No. 1 Northern 24
No. 2 " 22
No. 3 " 43
No. 4 " 44
No. 5 " 44
No. 6 " 44
No. 1 Free 20

Gas Next Fall.

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 28.—The Canadian Western Light, Heat, Oil, Gas and Power Company of Alberta, the \$5,000,000 corporation, was recently successfully floated in London by Mr. Eugene Cost, M.E., according to his brother, Mr. Louis Coste, M. E., who is at the hotel Vancouver on his way to Ottawa.

It is proposed to supply natural gas to various towns and cities in Southern Alberta, from gas wells at Bow Island, on the main line of the Crow's Nest Pass branch of the C.P.R. The construction of a pipe line, 170 miles long, extending as far as Calgary will be started next spring.

It will touch at Lethbridge and Macleod before following in a general way the Calgary-Macleod branch of the C. P. R. The gas main will vary in size from sixteen to twenty inches in diameter and will be equipped with a new system of flexible joints to accommodate the varying pressure of gas.

It is expected that the cost of laying it down will reach about \$1,000,000. The company has secured the exclusive right from the C.P.R. to drill wells on the C.P.R. farm lands in Alberta, it being stipulated that if oil is struck, a supply be furnished the C.P.R. at net cost.

Costs expects the pipe will be extended to Calgary and be in use next fall.

Hockey.

Bow Island Outplay Their Opponents.

The first game of hockey played in Bow Island took place New Year day and proved very interesting to the spectators, a large number of whom were present.

The teams lined up as follows:—

Seven Persons	Bow Island
Meyers	Goal
Tolt	Point
Adsett	C. Point
Patrick	Centre
Currie	Hover
Austin	L. Wing
Schneider	H. Wing

The game, taken all round, was fairly fast, and the home team proved too much for their opponents. The score at the end of the first half was 2-1, in favor of Bow Island. Seven Persons scored in the first half of the second half making the score a tie. Then the boys from Bow Island got busy and made another score making it 2-1 at the end of the game. Bow Island has some good material and with a little practice will be able to give some of the teams along the line a hard rub. We hear that four of the boys on the Seven Persons team came from Medicine Hat to help them out. Is that so, Seven Persons?

Curly Colp was the umpire and was very popular with both sides. B. L. Jamieson and C. R. Hurd were the goal judges. J. W. Hurd, S. Wiermuller and Mr. M. Thompson were penalty time-keepers. Only one penalty was imposed, that on Adsett for three minutes.

Cannot Cancel Pre-emption.

What will prove a great boon to the holders of pre-emptions, is the order issued by Hon. Robert Rogers to the various Dominion land offices, to suspend the order to cancel pre-emptions for non-payment of interest.

The reason for the suspension of the provisions allowing cancellation of the pre-emptions, if interest is not paid, is that the settlers have had great difficulty marketing their grain, and are not in a position to pay interest.

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A. F. DULMAGE - - - MANAGER

Local Topics

Thompson Whitney has been spending the holidays with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Whitney.

Mrs. S. D. McCrea left on Wednesday to make a prolonged stay with her parents in Montana.

S. D. McCrea has accepted a position as travelling agent for the M. Rumely Oil Pull Tractor Company.

H. Donnelly, who has been visiting his brother, returned with his wife to Reston, Man., Monday night.

R. A. S. MacLaren was confined to his house last week for a few days with an attack of tonsillitis.

D. M. Garrison, I. N. Ambler, Theo. Thompson, Bob Howard and Mr. Thompson are visitors to Medicine Hat this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Rogers of Lloydminster have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. M. L. Wright, during the past two weeks.

Miss Lawrence, pupil teacher at the public school here, has been visiting friends at Calgary and Lethbridge during the holidays.

Owing to a ratepayers meeting being held in the I.O.O.F. hall on Monday next, the Y.P.A. will not meet till Monday January 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Tole of Burdett spent the New Year with their daughter Mrs. S. R. Howden. Their son Roy of Vancouver was also present.

Ed. Reams of Windy Ridge was brought into town last week suffering from a broken leg, which he sustained whilst riding a stone-bone. We understand he is progressing very favorably.

The usual service will be held in the I.O.O.F. hall on Sunday next. The Rev. Wright will take his subject from the sixth Commandment "Thou shalt not kill," and will treat it more particularly from the industrial side.

A meeting of L.O.L. No. 2313, will be held in the I.O.O.F. hall on Friday, February 9th. General business and conferring degrees. Brethren residing in the district cordially invited to attend. Any further information can be obtained from Rev. M. L. Wright.

Owners of coal mines should call in at the "Review" office and get prices on business stationery. Writing on business matters upon blank paper is not progressive, and conveys a wrong impression to the person receiving the letter.

A Cinderella dance was given by Mrs. B. T. Whitney at her residence south of town on Thursday of last week. A large number of invitations had been sent out, and the young folks who were present had a most enjoyable time. Excellent music and dancing, with a very dainty supper at midnight, made a combination that proved extremely popular.

E. C. Ludtke made two deals this week of considerable importance. One was the purchase from P. Hammer of Tabor of the north-east quarter of 11-10-11, the price being \$23 an acre. He has also purchased lot 30 block 21, situated at the corner of Main street and Bow Avenue. This was bought of Geo. Young for \$2,000.

We have just received a very choice and varied assortment of stationery, suitable for letter heads, circulars, etc. It is surprising how many up-to-date farmers, as well as others, are securing printed writing-paper. There is not a very great difference either between printed and the blank paper. Just call in and ask our prices.

Among the many successful New Year dinner parties on Monday was one given by Mrs. A. B. Houghlin, the event being also to celebrate the tenth anniversary of the wedding of her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Houghlin. The spacious dining-room was beautifully decorated, and upon the table choice flowers and fruits had been arranged with excellent taste. Mrs. Houghlin assisted by her daughter-in-law, proved a most delightful hostess and forgot nothing that would conduce to the pleasure and comfort of her guests.

A masquerade dance was held in the L.O.O.F. hall on Monday (New Year's Day) and proved a gigantic success. The costumes many of them, were extremely original and novel, whilst others provoked much merriment by their comical appearance. There were 20 dances upon the program, and every one was enjoyed immensely. The prizes for costumes were awarded by Mr. A. F. Dulmage as follows: Mr. Davidson, best gentleman's box of cigars; Miss Colp, best ladies' box of candy; R. E. A. Colp, best gentleman's comic; Xmas stocking; W. Fuller, best ladies' comic; Xmas stocking. The masquerade, we believe, is the first one attempted in Bow Island, and its success is surely a forerunner of others. Among the original costumes was one representing the Bow Island Review, worn by Mrs. A. B. Houghlin. Several others also attracted considerable attention.

Spring Ridge Items

Quite a few of our neighbors have gone to the Hat this week.

A whist party at Ernest Gage's on Wednesday night. All are invited.

A large number of friends and neighbors sat down to a delicious turkey dinner on Sunday last at D. M. Garrison's, and spent an exceedingly enjoyable time.

The dance at Mr. Kilgord's on Monday night was well attended. Like many another gathering held under his hospitable roof it was a distinct success.

Mr. W. Collis, International collector, was looking after his future welfare in our neighborhood Sunday and Monday. Pearl says if everyone paid their debts Will would not have to be going round so much.

Mr. Jim Doran, who has been visiting his brother Art for the past two weeks, left for his home in Minnesota Saturday last. Mr. Doran was very favorably impressed with Southern Alberta and we hope to see him back to stay.

This has been a very busy Christmas week, dinners, parties and dances everywhere. The party held at Theo. Thompson's was well attended. Mr. Thompson supplied an elegant lunch and a very enjoyable evening was spent with games, etc. Theodore is one of the nicest tadelors in Alberta, and we predict for him a change ere long.

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Conservative Sweep

Liberals Badly Defeated in Prince Edward Island.

Charlottetown, P.E.I., Jan. 1.—The provincial elections today passed off quietly and the Conservative government achieved a remarkable victory, quite beyond precedent in its sweep. For some weeks past the general opinion had been that the Conservatives would win, and even the most sanguine were surprised at the vote. Such a sweep had been anticipated. In Charlottetown especially, the Liberals were completely routed.

28 Conservatives, 2 Liberals. Halifax, Jan. 2.—The standing of the parties in Prince Edward Island is twenty-eight Conservatives, and two Liberals. The Liberals elected are Hon. John Richardson of Bedford, leader of the opposition, and his colleague, A. McWilliams of West Point. All the other seats have gone to the Conservatives.

WANTED !

The presence of every Ratepayer in the I.O.O.F. Hall on

Monday Next, January 8th

Business :

Nomination of Candidates for the Village Council.

Annual Meeting of Board of Trade.

.. SWELL THE MEETING ..

NOTICE

The undersigned has re-opened the Pioneer Harness shop on Bell Street, and requests the patronage of the Bow Island District.

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Notice.

A. J. Bergeron desires to notify his patrons that he will be visiting again this winter, returning early in the spring, when he will be pleased to hear from anyone having horses to sell or exchange. He is also making arrangements to have a large number on hand and recommends intending purchasers to await his return.

Lost.

A Scotch sable collie dog, female, white nose, breast and front legs, and white ring around neck. Lost near Winnifred about December 6th. A reward of \$5.00 will be given upon its recovery. Finder leave with Beattie and Bratton, or A. F. Boddy, sec. 1-12-10, Winnifred P.O., Alta.

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